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From:  
Secretary, N.I.A.

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Enclosures:  
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"Authority to Sign  
Official Papers and  
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For Action

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The enclosed draft of an administrative order is designed to clarify and standardize the signing and issuance of official papers and correspondence. It is especially designed to delegate this authority to responsible officials within C.I.G. STATINTL STATINTL

The enclosed draft has the concurrence of Mr. Edgar and [REDACTED] of ICAPS, [REDACTED], Colonel Galloway of Special Operations, [REDACTED] and Mr. Montague of ORE, and Captain Olson of Collection and Dissemination.

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AUTHORITY TO SIGN OFFICIAL PAPERS AND CORRESPONDENCE

References: a. C.I.G. Administrative  
and changes thereto  
b. C.I.G. Administrative  
c. C.I.G. Administrative  
d. C.I.G. Secretariat Mem

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1. The following rules governing the signing and issuance of official papers and correspondence originating within C.I.G. are circulated herewith for information and guidance. These rules do not apply to the dissemination of intelligence produced by C.I.G., which will be handled in accordance with the provisions of C.I.G. Administrative Order [REDACTED]

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2. The following official papers and correspondence, after necessary coordination with the Interdepartmental Coordinating and Planning Staff, will be submitted to the Executive Director for the approval of the Director or of appropriate members of his office:

a. Papers submitted for consideration of the National Intelligence Authority or the Intelligence Advisory Board.

b. C.I.G. Directives and Operations Memoranda.

c. Correspondence addressed personally to the President, members of the National Intelligence Authority and the Intelligence Advisory Board, the heads of other Federal departments and independent agencies, members of Congress, and other individuals and heads of organizations of similar standing.

d. Any other papers or correspondence involving actions which are not clearly authorized by existing policies or directives of the N.I.A. or the Director.

3. Subject to the provisions of paragraph 2 above, the following C.I.G. officers are authorized to sign and issue official papers and correspondence as indicated:

a. The Executive Director - all papers and correspondence which are consistent with the policies and desires of the Director, including C.I.G. Operations Memoranda, and which do not require the personal signature of the Director or of the Deputy Director.

b. Secretary, N.I.A. -

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(2) N.I.A. Directives, after approval by the N.I.A.

(3) Correspondence with other Federal departments and agencies required to implement N.I.A. and C.I.G. Directives, after necessary coordination with the Executive Director.

(4) Correspondence with N.I.A. and I.A.B. members in connection with the affairs of these bodies, after necessary coordination with the Executive Director.

c. Executive for Personnel and Administration -

(1) After approval by the Executive Director, C.I.G. Administrative and Personnel Orders.

(2) All routine correspondence concerning personnel and administrative matters, except when addressed personally to individuals designated in Paragraph 2 @ above.

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4. M.I.A. and C.I.G. short-title papers will be prepared in accordance with the provisions of C.I.G. Secretariat Memorandum No. 1, dated 18 April 1946. Correspondence will be prepared in accordance with the provisions of C.I.G. Administrative Order [REDACTED] dated 26 August 1946.

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